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MGB RESIDENT IN SAN FRANCISCO INSTRUCTED TO DISCONTINUE
KEEPING RENDEZVOUS IN VIEW OF INTENSIFIED SURVEILLANCE (1944)

From: MOSCOW

To: SAN FRANCISCO

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According to information received by us intensified surveillance is being directed against you personally. Try to check [PROVERYaT'SYa][a] more carefully, bear this situation in mind in your future work. Temporarily discontinue keeping rendezvous. Telegraph if the surveillance continues.

No. 4348
19th September

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T.N.: [a] We have no parallel for this use of PROVERYaT'SYa in an MGB context. Presumably the sense is to check to see whether there is surveillance.

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